

# IURC News Release

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## **IURC APPROVES RATE ADJUSTMENT FOR EVANSVILLE WATER**

Today, in Cause No. 42176, the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission approved a rate adjustment for Evansville Water.

The Commissioners agree that a 15.38% across the board increase is justified by the utility's case in chief. The table below shows the impact on residential customers.

### **Residential** 5/8"—3/4" meter

Average Monthly Usage	Monthly Bill at Present Rates	Monthly Bill at 15.38% Across-the-board increase
5,000	\$8.89	\$10.26
7,000	\$12.34	\$14.24

Bill comparisons do not include current Fire Protection Surcharge

Evansville Water originally sought a 26% increase, which was later modified to a 23.91% increase.

Evansville Water serves approximately 55,000 customers in the incorporated city of Evansville, as well as unincorporated areas of Vanderburgh County. The company also sells water to certain nonprofit municipal and investor owned utilities, including German Township Water District, Inc., and Gibson Water, Inc.

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